

CHAPTER NO. 808

SENATE BILL NO. 2876

By Atchley, Clabough

Substituted for: House Bill No. 2484

By McDaniel, Walker, Larry Turner, Rhinehart, Gunnels, Wood

AN ACT To amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 56, relative to insurance and the definition of health insurance.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 56, Chapter 1, Part 1, is amended by adding the following new section:

56-1-105. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the term "accident and health insurance," "accident and sickness insurance," "health insurance," "health benefit plan" or other similar term used in any act enacted after the effective date of this act shall not include, unless specifically provided, the following types of insurance or any combination thereof: hospital indemnity, accident, dental, specified disease, disability income, long-term care, Champus supplement, or Medicare supplement, except as provided in Section 2 of this act.


SECTION 2. Nothing contained in this act shall apply to Chapters 4 and 12 of Title 56.

SECTION 3. Nothing contained in this act shall apply to programs and services provided pursuant to Title XIX of the Social Security Act and regulations promulgated pursuant thereto.


SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming law, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: May 17, 2000


JOHN S. WILDER
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE


JIMMY NAIFEH, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED this 24th day of May 2000


DON SUNDQUIST, GOVERNOR